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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. § 132, effective on May 29, 2000, provides for continued examination of an utility or plant application filed on or after June 8, 1995

Application Number	10/542,724
Confirmation Number	5408
Filing Date	July 20, 2005
First Named Inventor	Tohru KAMBE
Group Art Unit	1626
Examiner Name	Yong Liang Chu
Matter Number	Q89067
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Title AND MEDICAL USE THEREOF	

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.			
1. SUBMISSION REQUIRED UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114			
<ul> <li>a. □ Previously submitted</li> <li>i. □ Please enter and consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116</li> <li>previously filed on</li> </ul>			
ii.   Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on			
iii. Other			
<ul> <li>b. ☑ Enclosed</li> <li>i. ☐ Amendment/Reply</li> <li>ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)</li> <li>iii. ☑ Information Disclosure Statements (IDS)</li> <li>iv. ☐ Petition for Extension of Time</li> <li>v. ☐ Other</li> </ul>			
<ul> <li>2. MISCELLANEOUS</li> <li>a. □ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of months</li> <li>b. □ Other</li> </ul>			
3. FEES  The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge the \$790.00 fee and all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.			
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